

The Masses and the Classes Use and Praise Peruna



A Fruit-Grower's Letter.

W. E. Birch, a fruit grower, Aston, Va., writes:

"My wife was very much run down and out of sorts every way. She had female weakness and was very weak, nervous, and had no appetite. I tried her on everything I could think of, but she would not touch a thing—could not eat strawberries, even. I saw Peruna in my father's store one day, and after reading the printed matter on the bottle, decided to have my wife try it. Before she had taken half of the bottle, she commenced to eat, and now she is hungry all the time. We both agree that it has put her nerves in good shape that we have never had anything to do with. We had our family doctor to give her medicine, but she did not improve in the least. She has consumption in her lungs, and she was in work had shape and began to get very heavy, but your medicine has made an entirely new woman of her. I believe she will live and be better now than she has for years. I had her take one-half what it has done, and don't think there is another medicine made that will begin to compare with it."—W. E. Birch.

An Old Man's Letter.

Mr. Isaac Brock of McLennan county, Tex., has attained the great age of 111 years. He speaks as follows of Peruna: "After a man has lived in the world as long as I have he ought to have found out a great many things by experience. I think I have done so. One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper remedy for ailments due directly to the effects of the climate. For 111 years I have withstood the changeable climate of the United States. During my long life I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds, catarrh and diarrhoea. I had always supposed these ailments to be different diseases. For the last ten or fifteen years I have been reading Dr. Hartman's books and have learned from them one thing in particular: that these ailments are the same, and that they are properly called catarrh. As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Peruna, I have found it to be the best, it has the only reliable remedy for these ailments. It has been my stand-by for many years, and I attribute my good health and my extreme age to this remedy."—Mr. Isaac Brock.

U. S. Consul's Letter.

Hon. J. Courtney Hixson, of Washington, D. C., ex-United States consul at Foo Chow, China, says the following of Peruna: "I join with my distinguished friend, General Wheeler of my state, in recommending your preparation, Peruna. Friends who have used it recommend it as an excellent tonic and particularly good as a catarrh cure."—Hon. J. Courtney Hixson.

An Actress's Letter.

Mrs. McKee Rankin, actress, of New York City, writes: "No woman should be without a bottle of Peruna in reserve. As a remedy for catarrh of the head and throat, it is, I believe, without an equal. Peruna is an effective preventive against colds and coughs."—Mrs. McKee Rankin.

A Governor's Letter.

Hon. G. W. Atkinson, Governor of West Virginia, in a recent letter from Charleston to Dr. Hartman, says: "I can recommend your preparation, Peruna, as a tonic. Its reputation as a cure for catarrh is excellent. It having been used by a number of people known to me with the very best results."—Hon. G. W. Atkinson.

A Father's Letter.

Mr. Henry Wessler, Waco, Tex., writes: "About two months ago we wrote you for advice for our little girl. She was in a very bad condition then. We gave her two bottles of Peruna and a half a bottle of Manlin, and she is well now, which we feel very thankful for. She had catarrh of the nose which caused an offensive discharge and bad breath. "She was also bothered with her stomach, a great deal for about three years. She seldom complains of it now since taking your medicine. We think she had catarrh of the stomach. We give your medicine high praise, and recommend it to others."—Henry Wessler.

A Physician's Letter.

Dr. Lewis Jordan, Medical Examiner of U. S. Treasury Department, graduate of Columbia College, and who served three years at West Point, has the following to say of Peruna: "Allow me to express my gratitude to you for the benefit derived from your wonderful remedy. One three months has brought forth a vast change and I now consider myself a well man after months of suffering. Follow sufferers, Peruna will cure you."—Dr. Lewis Jordan.

A Lawyer's Letter.

Hon. Louis J. Behan, lawyer, 33-37 Stuck Exchange Building, Chicago, Ill., writes: "During the recent gubernatorial campaign in this state, I was troubled with severe bronchitis and sore throat. At the suggestion of a friend I tried Peruna, which gave me complete relief."—Louis J. Behan.

A Sawyer's Letter.

F. W. Radtke, 700 Minter street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes: "I deem it my duty to inform you that I have been troubled with catarrh for four years and could not work at my trade. I have tried almost every cure on the face of the earth, and had doctors attend me at their office and in the hospital, but could not get relief until I tried your wonderful Peruna. I was very doubtful whether it would help me, but at a good friend's advice, I tried your Peruna, which is a Godsend to all catarrh sufferers. After taking but four bottles, I am very much pleased indeed. I can safely say that one more bottle will be enough. After taking the second bottle I could go to work at my trade (sawyer), and the dust has no effect on my throat now. I shall recommend Peruna to everybody who suffers from catarrh."—F. W. Radtke.

A Young Girl's Letter.

Miss Callie Windham, Moore's Bridge, Ala., Tuscaloosa Co., writes: "I am 21 years of age, and have been subject to spells of sore throat all my life, and for 17 months I had hardly been clear of it. Our home physician treated it, but it got no better. I have now taken nearly five bottles of Peruna, and feel as well as I ever did in my life. I feel that it is a great blessing to me. I can safely recommend Peruna as a permanent cure for catarrh of the throat and will take pleasure in doing so."—Callie Windham.

A Policeman's Letter.

Mr. Chas. Rehm, Lieutenant of Police, 601 Precinct, Chicago, Ill., writes: "When I have suffered any bad consequences from exposure and colds, I have found that there is nothing so quickly restorative to the system to healthful activity as Peruna. "I use it often myself, and know that several of our patrolmen have received great benefit from this tonic."—Chas. Rehm.

An Alderman's Letter.

Hon. Otto Engelard, Alderman of the 12th Ward, 361 Belmont avenue, Chicago, Ill., writes: "My experience with Peruna has been most satisfactory. Last winter I suffered very much with kidney trouble, getting but little relief from the different medicines tried, until I used Peruna. "In a few weeks I began to feel a change, and in less than three months I was completely cured, and have had no trouble in that direction since."—Otto Engelard.

A Society Lady's Letter.

Miss Blanche Myers, 319 Penn street, Kansas City, Mo., has the following to say of Peruna: "During each of the past four seasons I have caught a severe cold when suddenly chilled after an evening party, and catarrh for several weeks would be the result. One bottle of Peruna cured me, and I shall not dread colds any more as I did."—Blanche Myers.

A Mayor's Letter.

Hon. B. J. Irvin, mayor of Washington, Ga., endorses Peruna in the following statement. He says: "I have frequently used Peruna in my family and have found it an excellent remedy for colds and as a tonic. I often recommend it to my friends."—Hon. B. J. Irvin.

A Housewife's Letter.

Mrs. Maggie Frank, 617 Main street, Greenville, Miss., writes: "I was troubled for a number of years with catarrh. I had almost constant pain in the side, stomach trouble, a bad cough, could not sleep very easily, and felt nervous and tired all the time. Peruna has made me a healthy, strong woman. I improved in strength and flesh rapidly after beginning your medicine, and can do more work now and not feel it than I have done for years."—Maggie Frank.

An Architect's Letter.

Hon. I. B. Smithmeyer, architect of the new Congressional Library of Washington, D. C., writes: "I endorse the good opinion expressed by Senators and Representatives in Congress regarding the curative qualities of your compound. Those who have used it recommend it as an excellent tonic, which is particularly effective as a cure for catarrh."—I. B. Smithmeyer.

A School Teacher's Letter.

Miss Johanna Boyer, teacher in Oakley avenue school, Chicago, Ill., writes: "Last year I was very ill and could barely attend to my duties in the school-room. After using three bottles of Peruna I was completely restored to my usual health."—Miss Johanna Boyer.

A Mother's Letter.

Mrs. Paul Peasch of 14 Guilford street, Newark, N. J., writes: "My three children were sick and my husband had an attack of la grippe. I gave the children Peruna and now they look as if they hadn't been sick at all. I also gave it to my husband until he was good and well. I do not know how I could have stood taking care of them and being up night and day, had it not been for Peruna. "Last winter was the first winter in sixteen years that I did not have a cough. It is impossible to explain my thanks by words. I never looked as well as I do now. "Peruna is our family medicine and always will be. I do not own Peruna, work and sewing, and get along lovely."

A Chief Justice's Letter.

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"I cannot help but praise Peruna. I am never without it, and as soon as I find the children have the least cold I give them Peruna. A few doses help them, and I hope that every one who reads my testimony will try Peruna as it is a friend indeed."—Mrs. Paul Peasch.

An Artilleryman's Letter.

Captain T. H. Rundie, 2nd Battery of the Wisconsin Light Artillery, writes from Loda, Ill.: "I have nothing but praise for Peruna. This winter a severe cold settled in my kidneys and my stomach was in such a bad catarrhal condition that I could not eat. I lost appetite and sleep and nothing helped me until the doctor told me to try Peruna. "That was the finest prescription he could have given. It seemed to restore me to my usual health quicker than anything I had ever taken. In two days I had a fine appetite, slept like a child, and felt like a man once more. I would not be without it in my family for ten times its cost."—T. H. Rundie.

A Fireman's Letter.

Mr. John Sweeting, Captain Fire Department of Evanston, Ill., says: "Some time ago we had such continual hard service that I, as well as my men, were completely exhausted and felt my nerves give way. One of our men had tried Peruna a couple of years ago and he advised us to try it. We did so and found the change simply marvelous. A dose seemed better than a meal, and in ten days we were all feeling fine."—John Sweeting.

A Business Man's Letter.

Hon. Wm. N. Kellogg, a prominent business man of Chicago, Ill., in speaking of Peruna, the great catarrh remedy, says as follows: "After having used several remedies for indigestion with no beneficial results, I was induced by a friend of mine to try Peruna, and I gladly say that it perfected a positive cure. I have lately recommended it to several of my acquaintances as I firmly believe it is all that is claimed for it."—Wm. N. Kellogg.

A Young Mother's Letter.

Mrs. W. McElwaine, writes to Dr. Hartman from Delano, Minn., the following: "I feel perfectly well of catarrh. I did as you directed me to and took Peruna and Manlin. The third of March I gave birth to a ten-pound baby girl, and we are both well and happy. I am very thankful to you and Peruna saved my life. I recommend it to everyone and can't praise it enough. "I send you my own and my baby's picture. She is so sweet and good, she is a Peruna baby. I have such good health now. I do all my housework and take care of my baby, and feel so good. "There are three or four of my neighbors using Peruna now, since it did not so much good. They were just run down, and they think it is fine. It is so good to give strength."—Mrs. W. McElwaine.

A Band-Master's Letter.

W. H. Scharfman, leader of the U. S. Marine Corps Band at Washington, D. C., writes: "I take pleasure in testifying to the merits of your Peruna. My wife is now using it and she is very much improved, and I am glad to say I have no more of my old trouble. I have personally used it and have found it to be one of the very best remedies for catarrh."—W. H. Scharfman.

A Traveler's Letter.

J. Edward Clark, 62 Temple street, Los Angeles, Cal., writes:

"I fully believe Peruna saved my life. About two years ago after returning from Alaska I was taken with catarrh of the stomach and in fact of the whole system. My stomach failed me as nothing I ate seemed to do me any good, but always gave me pain and belching of gas. My kidneys got sore and weak, I had palpitation of the heart, my lungs were sore, and it was difficult to draw a lung breath. I also had fainting spells, and while walking was afraid I might fall to the sidewalk. I also had to get up at night and sit in a chair to keep from sneezing. My legs and arms pained me most of the time, my feet were cold on the bottom of my shoes, my tongue was coated, I had chills from my head to my feet, I was weak and had very little life and everything looked dark to me, and I often wished for the end. "I took all kinds of medicine—do not think there is a drug-store in this city that I did not get some trick from. I also used vapor baths, dieted, drank all the mineral waters, had many consultations with two of the best doctors of this city, used their prescriptions, but all seemed of no use. "After months of this kind of work I fully made up my mind to try Peruna, and thank God for it, as I had not used over two bottles until I felt a change, and have been getting better ever since, and now I am well and strong. All my friends tell me how well I look. Let me say to those who are sick, try Peruna if you have any of my symptoms, it will cure you. Don't expect to be cured by one bottle, but stick to it until cured."—J. Edward Clark.

A Cavalryman's Letter.

Anton J. Frank, Captain of the 12th Ohio Cavalry, Co. D., writes from 37 Illinois avenue, Chicago, Ill.: "No grade bestowed upon Peruna could be too high. I suffered for years with a complication of troubles of the pelvic organs from exposure in the army, and could find no relief until I tried Peruna. It meant life and health to me, broken down as I was and unable to enjoy life. I am now feeling well and strong, and without any ache or pain."—Anton J. Frank.

A Chaplain's Letter.

Mr. E. L. B. B. Chaplain of Lincoln Lodge, Sons of St. George, writes from Boston, Ind.: "I do not know just how Peruna is made, but I do know there is as much difference in effect in using Peruna and any other medicine as there is between night and day. Every dose seems to build life and health. I have been troubled with catarrh of the head for years, also with indigestion. But it is all gone. Peruna seemed to cure it in an incredibly short time. I only used three bottles and I am today as healthy and well as any man could wish to be. Independent of damp weather I do not sneeze, as Peruna cures a cold in a short time."—E. L. B. B.

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A Count's Letter.

Count Knappe de Ome, whose family has been one of the most influential and powerful of Spain, and who is the last of his illustrious race, in a recent letter says his endorsement to Peruna, in the following words written from The Canaries, Atlantic City, N. J.: "Last winter my secretary had a severe attack of la grippe which was cured promptly by the use of four bottles of Peruna, as when I contracted the same dangerous ailment last fall I at once took a bottle. It truly worked wonders, and removed the sickness, and now feeling I had within a few days, I could not be without it now for any reason, and when I am away I carry Peruna as a valuable requisite to my traveling outfit."—Julian Knappe, Count de Ome.

A Barber's Letter.

J. L. Wallace, a charter member of the Hutchinsonian Union, writes from 115 Western avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.: "Following a severe attack of la grippe I seemed to be affected with all the usual symptoms of a severe headache, indigestion, and nervousness, as I could not eat nor sleep, and I thought I had got up my neck, which I could not get to do. "One of my customers who was greatly agitated by Peruna, advised me to try it, and I procured a bottle the same day. I used it faithfully, and felt a marked improvement. Indeed, the next two days I took two bottles, and then felt quite well. Now my head is clear, my eyes are steady, I enjoy food, and rest well. Peruna has been worth a dollar to me."—J. L. Wallace.

A Soldier's Letter.

General Melvill has seen active service as field officer under fourteen different flags. This cosmopolitan soldier who has fought in all climes, endures the perils of warfare in nearly every country of Europe, is a friend of Peruna. He says in a letter from Washington, D. C.: "Having received much benefit from Peruna I hereby certify that as a tonic I feel confident that it could not be surpassed by any other, and heartily recommend Peruna to anyone in want of an invigorating tonic."—Henry R. D. Melvill.

A Judge's Letter.

Judge S. H. Mangum of Helena, Ark., says the following in regard to Peruna as a catarrh cure and general tonic: "I take pleasure in recommending your great national remedy as an excellent catarrh remedy. I have used it for a very short time and I find I am very much improved. It is also a good tonic and should be used by every one whose system needs building up."—S. H. Mangum.